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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

As a school community we were saddened to hear of the tragic passing of Tyrelle Gemo's younger sister on Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> March. The school counsellor and class teachers have been very supportive of all of the students. The students have also been tremendously supportive of Tyrelle.

Our community members have contacted us to see if we can be of further support to the family during this time of grief. Some families have suggested a meal roster, where we may be able to cook a meal for the Gemo family to supply them with dinner once a week. If you are not a culinary whiz but still wish to support then you may like to purchase a family pie or quiche. This is purely voluntary and the school will organise a roster so that the meals can be sent to the College on a Monday morning and we will make arrangements to pass these on.

If you would like to cook a meal for the family sometime over the next 2 terms, can you please reply to your child's homeroom teacher by the end of Week 3. If there is a particular Monday during the year that would suit you better, can you please also indicate this by emailing [srussell@cabra.catholic.edu.au](mailto:srussell@cabra.catholic.edu.au). Amanda, Beni and Tyrelle wish to thank all of you for your thoughts and prayers. Once again, this is a purely voluntary initiative.

Sincerely

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